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Transmitted herewith is a patent application under 37 CFR 1.53(b).

Entitled:	Automatic Speech Segmentation And Verification Method And System
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1. Submitted herewith are the following:  
**20 pages of specification, including claims and Abstract.**  
**3 sheets of FORMAL drawings (Figs. 1-3).**  
**18 claims.**  
**1 Oath/Declaration signed by each inventor.**  
**1 Application Data Sheet.**  
**1 Information Disclosure Statement.**  
**1 page of Form PTO-1449, and one copy of each non-U.S. document listed thereon.**  
**1 Assignment of the invention to Industrial Technology Research Institute, Chutung, Hsinchu, Taiwan, R.O.C.**  
**Cover Sheet, and payment of the \$40 recordal fee.**  
**1 certified copy of Taiwan application no. 092125187. Priority is claimed.**  
**1 check in the amount of \$810 (\$770- Filing Fee; \$40- Assignment Recordation Fee).**

2. SMALL ENTITY STATUS IS ASSERTED pursuant to 37 CFR 1.27 for this application.

3. The Commissioner is authorized to credit any overpayment and charge any deficiency in any fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and/or 1.17, to Deposit Account No. 02-0200.

4. Insert before the first sentence of the specification: -- This application claims the benefit of provisional application number \_\_\_\_\_ filed \_\_\_\_\_. --

5. Insert before the first sentence of the specification: -- This application is a Continuation-in-part of nonprovisional application number \_\_\_\_\_ filed \_\_\_\_\_. --

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